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REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS
FREETOWN TOWN HALL, OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2018, 10:00AM

The meeting was called to order by Michael Motta, serving as Chairman. Assessors Suzanne Parker and Michael Motta were present but Sheila Scaduto was unable to attend. Karen Mello, Asst. Assessor was also available.

All discussions and decisions were held in Open Session.

The Board reviewed and approved abatement reports and a payroll schedule. The members reviewed a memo from the Department of Revenue asking that they prepare a user ID and password for Gateway system and took time to create the required information.

The Board was reminded again of the upcoming Special Town Meeting for October 15th.

The Board reviewed a memo submitted by Kimberley Fales regarding Overlay Reserves and releasing any funds not needed for abatement offsets and Appellate Tax Board decisions to be used by the Town as needed. Suzanne Parker made a motion to release \$1,500,000 to Overlay Surplus. By necessity, Michael Motta seconded the motion and by a 2-0 margin, the motion passed to release funds in that amount.

The Board reviewed recent sales reports and discussed the trends in sale prices compared to past years.

The meeting adjourned at 12:00 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen M. Mello, Asst. Assr.
Freetown Board of Assessors